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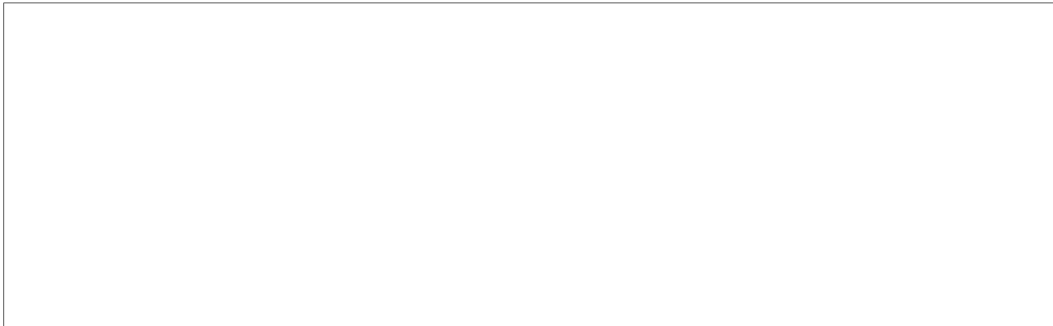
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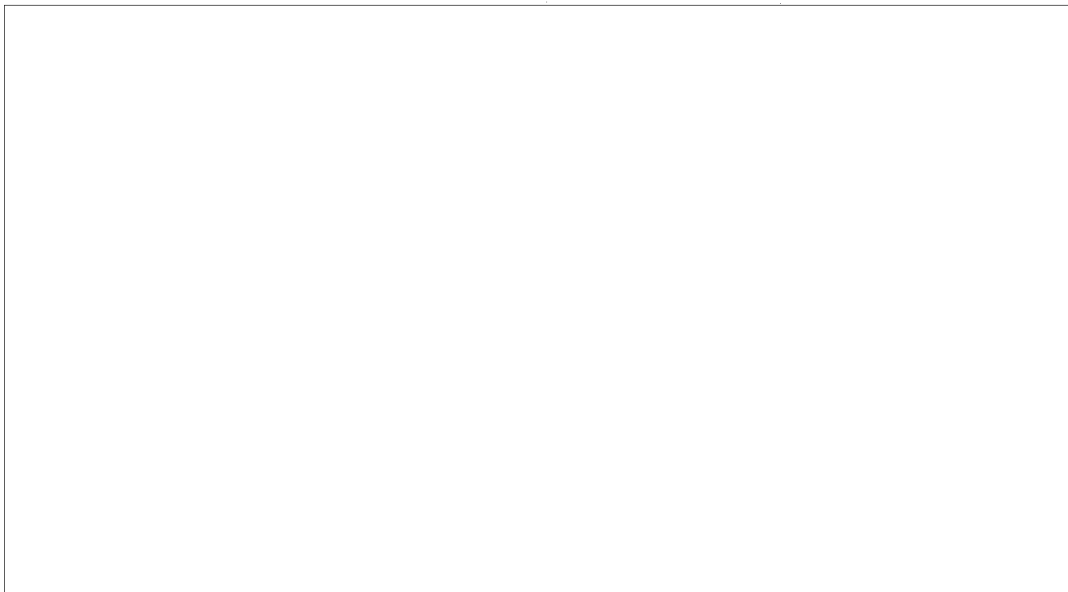
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## POLAND: Speculation About Ending Martial Law

*Polish officials are speculating that martial law might be ended and Lech Walesa released within the next few months.*

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A Polish official abroad has told a US diplomat that Walesa would be released in October, all former trade unions dissolved in November, and martial law lifted before 13 December. He noted, however, that these steps would be "merely formalistic" and designed to appease the West.

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Another Polish diplomat recently said martial law "definitely" will be lifted this fall because Poland cannot be governed effectively by military rule. He also asserted that, following the passage of a law on trade unions and a return to stability, Walesa would be released--perhaps next spring.

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Comment: Since imposing martial law, Premier Jaruzelski has shown a cautious determination to restore the appearance of normality. Although martial law might formally be revoked in the coming months, the regime probably would be given "special emergency powers" to ensure its control.

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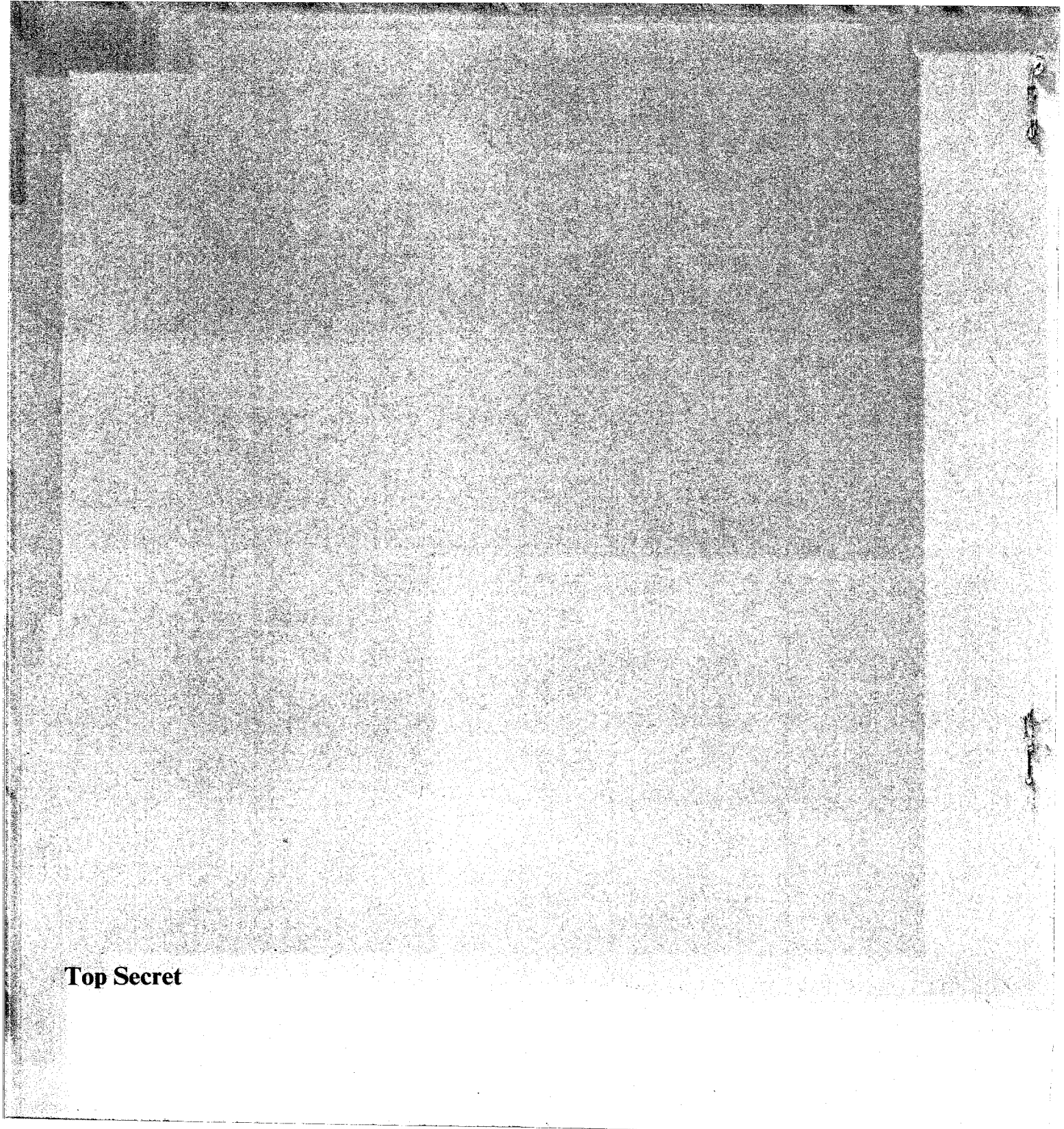
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